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6 Applicant Microsoft Corp.
7 Group Art Unit 3621
8 Examiner Backer, Firmin
9 Attorney's Docket No. MS1-0394US

10 **Title: BORE-Resistant Software Configuration**
11 **and Distribution Methods And Arrangements**

12 **REQUEST TO PROPERLY INDICATE CONSIDERATION**

13 **OF A PREVIOUSLY CONSIDERED IDS**

14 **Under 37 CFR 1.312**

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5 Office in an Office Action dated 06/07/2002.
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7 However, two of the listed art were not properly indicated to have been
8 considered. More specifically, two items were not initialed. (Two other items
9 were initialed and the sheet was signed on 5/31/2002 by Examiner Firmin Backer.)
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12 The two non-initialed items are:

- 13 • WO 98/45768 15/10/98 PCT
14 • Frederick B. Cohen, "Operating system protection through program
15 evolution*," *Computers & Security*, Vol. 12, No. 6, Elsevier Science Publishers
16 Ltd., October 1993, pp. 565-584.
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18 Hence, it is respectfully requested that the consideration of these two items
19 be properly indicated by initialing each item on the attached IDS sheet and by re-
20 signing it.
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2 **Conclusion**
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4 Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned representative of the
5 Applicants if you deem it helpful to facilitate this request. Thank you.
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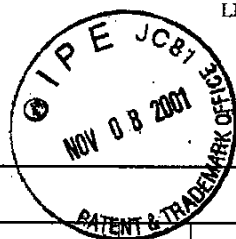
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